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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English. translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment;

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing

sheets must be submitted on paper, which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e)). See Figure(s) 1,2,4-7.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1030 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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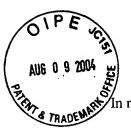
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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Burr et al.

Group Art Unit: Unassigned

Application No. 10/809,282

Examiner: Unassigned

Filing Date: March 25, 2004

For: CONTROL VALVE FOR A

VENTILATION SYSTEM OF AN

AUTOMOBILE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Mail Stop Missing Parts Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir

Applicant(s) hereby respond(s) to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated June 8, 2004.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status	of App	licant
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	CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNI	DER 37 CFR 1.10
indicated below, in a	his Response and all accompanying documents are being depoint envelope as "EXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO ADDRESS US, addressed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commission	ESSEE" service under 37 CFR 1.10, Mailing Label
Name (Print/Type)	Jacquelyn Hurd	
Signature	Jasault Jun Daie	August 9, 2004

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2.	HACHIMANTS	Sunmittea	Merewith

a.	\bowtie	Executed Declaration of inventor(s)
b.		Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:
	i.	Computer Readable Form (CRF)
	ii.	Specification Sequence Listing on:
		(1) CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
		(2) Paper Copy
	iii.	Statement verifying identity of above copies
c.	\boxtimes	Verified English translation of application
d.	\boxtimes	Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
e.		Substitute Drawings
f.	\boxtimes	Other: Preliminary Amendment

3. Application Filing Fee

b. Application filing fee due in amount calculated below:

		APPLI	CATION FEES			
				BASIC FEE	\$ 77	0.00
CLAIMS	NUMB	ER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	_	
Total Claims	1	- 20 =	0	× \$18.00	\$	
Independent Claims	1	-3=	0	× \$86.00	\$	
Multiple Dependent Claims(s) if applicable + \$290.00			\$			
Total of above calculations =			\$			
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity =			\$()		
Fee Already Paid =		\$()			
				Fee Due =	\$ 77	0.00

4. Late Filing of Oath or Declaration Surcharge

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for	or
other than a small entity or a small entity.	

Fee Due \$130.00

5. Non-English Specification Surcharge

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

Fee Due \$130.00

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6.	Extension of Time	•			
	of time under 37 CFR 1.136,				
	conditional petition is being made to provide for the	the fee for which is \$110.00. Applicant(s) believe(s) that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant(s) has/have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.			
		Fee Due \$			
7.	Total Fee Due				
	The total fee due is: Application Filing Fee \$770.00 Late Filing of Declaration Surcharge \$130.00 Non-English Specification Surcharge \$130.00 Extension of Time Fee \$0.00	Total Fee Due: \$1030.00			
8.	Fee Payment				
	Attached is a check in the sum of \$. Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$10 transmittal is attached.	30.00. A duplicate of this			
9.	Fee Deficiency				
	If any additional fee is required in connection wit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate of this transm				
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Date:	e: August 9, 2004				

Missing Parts Response (Revised 2004 02 07)